P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, A community, state, or nation is only as strong as its schools, and the schools are only as strong as the people of the community, state, or nation strive to make them; and

WHEREAS, Each citizen in each of his public and private capacities has a direct responsibility to understand, support, and improve the schools; and

WHEREAS, Each child has a right to quality education relevant to his abilities, background, and goals and designed to help him become a citizen capable of functioning fully within the range of his unique talents; and

WHEREAS, The public schools serve to promote academic knowledge, vocational preparation, cultural enrichment, development of individual self-esteem and character, enlightened citizenship, and creative thinking for each individual in a society which seeks to improve the quality of life for all mankind,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby designate September 17, 1971 to be

Citizenship Day

and urge all citizens to renew their efforts to learn about the programs and possibilities of our educational system and to help our schools reach their potential of the best education for all.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this ninth day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-one.

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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